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ICBM COMPLEX

DROVYANAYA, USSR

1. THE DROVYANAYA ICBM COMPLEX, WHICH WAS FIRST IDENTIFIED ON [REDACTED] 25X
- [REDACTED] IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 3.1 NM SOUTH OF THE TOWN OF DROVYANAYA AND APPROXIMATELY 36 NM SOUTHWEST OF CHITA. WHEN FIRST IDENTIFIED THE COMPLEX CONSISTED OF A COMPLEX SUPPORT FACILITY AND ONE TYPE IIB (SOFT) LAUNCH AREA ("A"), BOTH OF WHICH WERE UNDER CONSTRUCTION. THE COMPLEX WAS SUBSEQUENTLY COVERED BY 31 KH MISSIONS WHICH RESULTED IN THE IDENTIFICATION OF A RAIL-TO-ROAD TRANSFER POINT; 2 TYPE IID (SOFT) LAUNCH AREAS ("C" AND "D"); 3 TYPE IIIA (HARD) LAUNCH AREAS ("B", "E", AND "F"); AND A GROUP OF TYPE IIID SINGLE SILO SITES, DESIGNATED LAUNCH GROUP "G", WHICH CONSISTED OF 12 CONFIRMED SITES, 2 PROBABLE SITES, AND 1 POSSIBLE SITE. 25X
2. THIS MISSION REVEALS:

LAUNCH AREAS "A" THRU "F" (NOT SHOWN ON GRAPHIC) ARE COVERED OR PARTIALLY COVERED AND SHOW NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE. ALL OF THESE SITES ARE COMPLETE.

LAUNCH GROUP "G" NOW CONSISTS OF 10 CONFIRMED TYPE IIID LAUNCH SITES, DESIGNATED SITES G1 THROUGH G10, ALL OF WHICH CONTINUE UNDER CONSTRUCTION. SITES G1 AND G6 ARE IN THE LATE STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION; WHILE THE REMAINING SITES CONTINUE IN THE MID-STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION.

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THE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED POSSIBLE SITE IS NO LONGER CONSIDERED TO BE A LAUNCH SITE.

FOUR OF THE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED LAUNCH SITES ARE NOW CONSIDERED TO BE PART OF A SECOND LAUNCH GROUP ("H"), THE EXISTENCE OF WHICH IS CONFIRMED BY THE IDENTIFICATION OF 4 ADDITIONAL TYPE IIID LAUNCH SITES IN THE SOUTHERN PORTION OF THE COMPLEX.

THIS LAUNCH GROUP PRESENTLY CONSISTS OF THESE 8 CONFIRMED TYPE IIID LAUNCH SITES, ALL IN THE MID-STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION. THE 4 PREVIOUSLY REPORTED SITES ALL APPEAR TO BE DOUBLE-FENCED, AT LEAST SLIGHTLY BACKFILLED, AND HAVE A ROUGHLY DEFINED GRADED ACCESS. THE 4 NEWLY IDENTIFIED SITES APPEAR TO BE AT LEAST SINGLE-FENCED. LITTLE OR NO BACKFILLING IS APPARENT AROUND THE SILOS AND NO GRADED ACCESS IS VISIBLE. CABLE DITCHING BETWEEN THE LAUNCH SITES IS NOT YET APPARENT.

LAUNCH SITE G2 IS IN A MID-STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION AND CONSISTS OF A LARGE, ROUGHLY TRIANGULAR-SHAPED SECURED AREA CONTAINING A SILO UNDER CONSTRUCTION AND A PROBABLE SUPPORT/CONTROL FACILITY WHICH IS ALSO UNDER CONSTRUCTION. CABLE DITCHING CONNECTS THIS FACILITY WITH OTHER SITES WITHIN LAUNCH GROUP "G". THE CHARACTERISTIC GRADED SILO ACCESS IS ORIENTED NNE/SSW. A PROBABLE CONTROL BUILDING IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION NEAR THE SILO.

LAUNCH SITES H2 AND H3 ARE NEWLY IDENTIFIED. BOTH ARE IN

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A MID-STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION AND CONSIST OF A DOUBLE-FENCED AREA CONTAINING A SILO UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

LAUNCH SITES H1 AND H5 ARE ALSO NEWLY IDENTIFIED AND EACH CONSISTS OF A SILO UNDER CONSTRUCTION. BOTH APPEAR TO BE AT LEAST SINGLE-FENCED AND ARE IN A MID-STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION.

LAUNCH SITE H4 WAS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED AND IS IN A MID-STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION. IT CONSISTS OF A SILO UNDER CONSTRUCTION WITHIN A DOUBLE-FENCED AREA.

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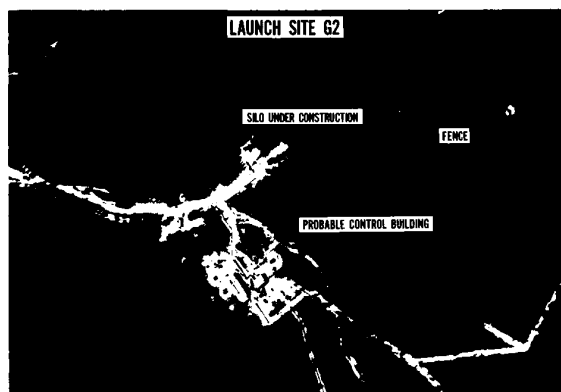
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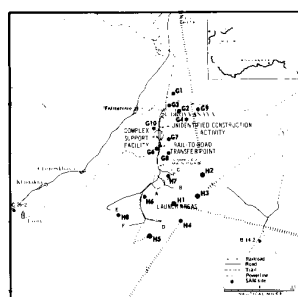
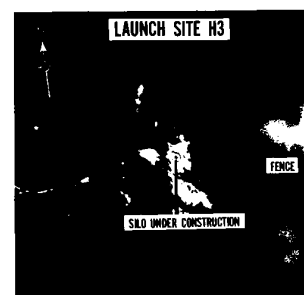
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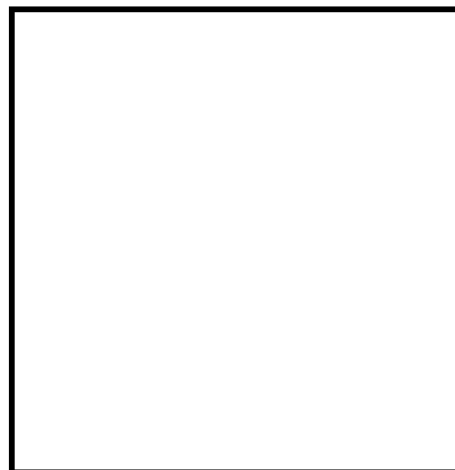


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